

WEDDING * GIFTS!



We are showing superior attractions to those in search of WEDDING GIFTS.

We have had come in a part of our goods intended for December. These embrace a large line of SOLID SILVER FANCY PIECES, and a very large selection of CUT GLASS.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China

NEW FALL GOODS

We have been getting them right along every day until our store is full. They are piled up to the ceiling and they are the very latest styles in foot-wear.

We have a great line of Ladies' shoes, in Lace, Button and Congress—all sizes, all widths, all styles. In gentlemen's shoes we have all new fresh goods, in all the widths, sizes and styles.

We have everything you want and we have just what you want. We have always been the leaders in low prices and always will be. Fail not to note this fact.

Our clearance sales in the past have been the means of unloading stock which (while thoroughly desirable and first-class for wear) were not up to date as to prevailing styles. The stock which we have now on hand, having thus been perfectly cleaned out and only the newest and most desirable styles on sale, we think we can please and satisfy any one.

+ FRANK H. COLE, +
B. F. BOBO, Manager,
148 EAST MAIN STREET.

GREAT REMOVAL SALE

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, +
Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods,
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

Having leased the old Post Office Building, to be occupied as soon as remodeled, I will make a Grand Clearance Sale of My Entire Stock.

CNAS. J. BRYAN, +
The People's Clothier,
138 NORTH WATER ST.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

TO THE LADIES.
Have you seen our Cook Book? Did you get one? It has over Forty First-Class Cake Recipes; nearly as many for Puddings, and fully 200 other Recipes. You can have it for the asking.

KING & WOOD, Druggists.
WEDNESDAY EVEN. OCT. 11, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Bone Dishes.
We are making a special sale on Bone Dishes in porcelain and china, all hand-decorated, at prices never heard of before.
E. D. Bartholomew.
Dinner & Bone, tallies.
Fly paper at Dawson's drug store.
FRESH OYSTERS at Singleton's. 33-34.
FOUNTAIN PENS at Dawson's book store.
HARNESS headsets powders at Irwin's.

HUFFMAN's Carabel cigar for a good smoke.
34-35
Use Irwin's Toilet Cream for chapped hands.
Smokes the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dt

ANTI-TABACCO 50c per box at Dawson's.
THERE were 308,000 people at the World's Fair yesterday.

Smokes the Little Rose and Bonquet cigars. None better in the city.

BEST \$15 cook stove in the market at Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.

DECOYED Porcelain Creamers for 20c, worth 30c, at Bartholomew's ditto

THIS week the Republicans elected two town officers at Argenta.

To-day a marriage license was granted James M. Greening of Sangamon and Miss Martha Bramblett of Blue Mound.

Dawson's drug store is open all night.

Smokes the Silver Cross cigar. For sale by I. N. Irwin & Co.

THE United States Wire Mat company, of this city, was awarded a medal and diploma at the World's Fair yesterday.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housman's in Library Block.

PARROTARIUM a specialty at Dawson's pharmacy, night or day.

THE funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ford took place this afternoon from the residence, 823 East Hickman street.

See the line of shoes at Bachman Bros. & Martin Co., before purchasing.

Room Decatur by using

White Leaf Flour.

FALL goods are in and are beautiful Geo. W. Jones & Co. clothiers. aug28-d&wt

YESTERDAY at Chicago Henry DeWolf, 45 years of age, treasurer of the Illinois Central Railroad company, died suddenly of apoplexy at his office.

OUR prices for fine tailor made clothing are very reasonable. Ehrman & Co. 21-22

THE Republicans defeated the Democrats yesterday at Indianapolis at the city election by an average majority of 2500. It was a change of 5000 against the Democrats.

ELEGANT fitting suits at low prices at J. H. Kaufhold's, the merchant tailor, 143 East Main street. oct4-dit

WHITE LOAF FLOUR
The Best.

HAVE your business suit for fall made by Ehrman & Co., the popular merchant tailors.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices.

COOK, C. H. Dow, father of Mrs. Dr. A. W. Cook, who was stricken with paralysis some time ago, is believed to be in a dying condition to-day. The attending physician is Dr. Dunsmead.

ONE of the finest new fall line of clothing in the city at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. aug28-d&wt

If you wish a perfect and elegant fitting suit have our new cutter, Mr. Wald, serve your wants. Ehrman & Co. 21-22

YESTERDAY ex-Congressman Owen Scott purchased the Odd Fellows' Herald of Charles F. Mansfield of Mansfield. He will move the plant to his home town, Bloomington, where it will hereafter be published.

FRESH oysters and fish received daily Dressed poultry at the Pearl Oyster and Fish Co., house, 243 North Main street, or telephone 344.

THE temperance revival at Tuscola, closed yesterday. It has been in session a week and over 1,500 have signed the pledge. Francis Murphy, assisted by his son William, conducted the meetings. They will go next to Springfield.

A SOVEREIGN contest will add to the amusement of the Mahville company Saturday evening. To the handsome lady in the audience a beautiful dress pattern will be presented, and to the homeliest gentleman an elegant silk hat will be voted.

LEONARD THRELL, the defaulting sheriff of Richland county, Ohio, who was elected on the Democratic ticket in 1891, and who has been in Chicago for some time, was arrested yesterday and taken back to Ohio. His shortage is said to be \$20,000. He was serving his second term.

THE total number of passengers carried Chicago day by the three cable systems, the "Alley" "L" road, and the Illinois Central roads—the five chief lines of transportation patronized in reaching the World's Fair—was 2,556,616. These are the official returns as received by the five companies yesterday. They are greatly in advance of expectation.

WATER attacks a person of scrofulous diathesis, the disease is almost sure to become chronic. The only efficacious cure, therefore, is Ayer's Sanguinaria, which cures scrofula from the system and the clear skin follows suit. Local treatment is only a waste of time.

GEN. OGLEBY'S REGIMENT.

Reunion of the Eighth Illinois Infantry at the Post Hall.
Veterans Meet Again to Talk Over Trying Days at the Front—History of the Brave Regiment.

The annual reunion of the veterans of the Eighth Illinois Regiment is in progress at the beautiful hall of the Grand Army Post, and will continue until tomorrow. Geo. S. Durfee is the president, and W. W. Weeden secretary. The Eighth Illinois Infantry was organized on the 26th day of April, 1861. Richard J. Ogleby, of Decatur, was appointed colonel. July 25, 1861, the regiment was reorganized and mustered for three years. March 24, 1864, it was re-elected for three years more, and on May 4, 1866, it was mustered out, making in all a continuous service in the field of five years and nine days. This is a record that few regiments have the honor of enjoying. It was commanded by Frank L. Rhodes, John P. Post, Joseph A. Bheets and Lloyd Wheaton, respectively. It was always at the front and lost a large number of men and officers in action. It fought in the important battles of Fort Henry, Fort Donelson, Shiloh, Corinth, Fort Gibson, Thompson's Hill, Bayou Pierre, Raymond, Jackson, Chattanooga, Spanish Fort, Fort Blakely, and after the close of the war did guard and patrol service in Texas and Louisiana. In these engagements it lost about 140 men killed, and nearly five times that number wounded.

VETERANS PRESENT.
The business meeting of the regiment began this afternoon. To-night there will be a camp-fire meeting to which everybody especially the ladies are invited. Those who had signed the register up to two o'clock were the following:

COMPANY A.
Irwin L. Helman, Shreveport, La. Peter Moss, Cerro Gordo. John Cook.

COMPANY B.
James T. Taylor, Moweaqua. Robert Hart, Cerro Gordo. Peter Salomon, Decatur.

COMPANY C.
L. M. Temple, Hammond. Col. McKeay, Canton. W. H. Wallace, Eaton.

COMPANY D.
Jesse W. Scott. K. S. Conklin, Pekin. A. R. Morgan, Joliet. R. M. Hunsford, Bloomington.

COMPANY E.
O. W. Beaman, Annapolis. W. W. Weeden, Taylorville.

COMPANY F.
Paul Steen, Engden. H. Berkwerf, San Jose, Ill.

COMPANY G.
B. W. Stillman, Bloomington. Geo. P. McClellan. J. W. Ayers, Dallas, Texas. A. B. Baylor, Decatur. C. N. Denison, assistant regimental surgeon, Argenta.

The officers of this organization are: President, Geo. S. Durfee, Decatur; vice president, O. H. Hart, secretary and treasurer, W. W. Weeden, Taylorville.

PERSONAL MENTION.
Miss Rose Hankins is in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Pollock are in Chicago.

Parke Hammer came home from Chicago this morning.

Mrs. W. A. Greenfield has gone to Lockport, Ill., on a visit.

Capt. John W. Hartley is seriously ill at his home on North Main street.

Justice and Mrs. Wood Faddoc will probably leave for Chicago on Friday.

J. B. Dings is entertaining his uncle, Dr. Harvey Rogers, of Mt. Crawford, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Martin are at Lincoln, visiting at the home of Coroner Hill.

Mrs. John C. Millspaugh, Jr., left this morning to visit the World's Fair for ten days.

Judge Oloy, of Bement, was in the city last night on his way to Wichita, Kansas.

Miss Myrtle Orr is in St. Louis to attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Mary Galvin.

Hon. S. S. Jack, Attorney I. D. Walker and H. O. Montgomery were at Springfield last evening.

Miss Maud Leffingwell left yesterday for Centralia to visit friends. She was accompanied by her father.

Anderson Bradley and wife, of Omaha, Neb., are in the city on a brief visit. They are the guests of Mrs. Wm. Scanlan on South Water street.

Dr. J. O. Wagoner, who has been visiting in the city, left yesterday for Chicago for his home at Ocean Grove, N. J.

John B. Sherwood, brother of H. W. Sherwood, of the Arcade Hotel, and Miss Grace Gaston were married to-day at noon at the home of the bride's father, Dr. Gaston, Indianapolis, Ind.

F. M. PHARR arrived in the city at 11 o'clock to-day over the Wabash from Chicago by way of Springfield. He got into a sleeper at Chicago last night at 9 o'clock and telling the porter to wake him up in time to get off at Decatur, he fell asleep, and as the porter failed to wake him he rode on toward Springfield. When he awoke he was close to Springfield, and got off there to wait for the next train to bring him to Decatur. He lost half a day at the grain office.

During the past two days Miss Nellie Threlk, the member of the Ogleby family, has been engaged in turning out considerable typewritten work for the visiting insurance agents. The gentlemen compliment Miss Ogleby's work generally and say it is at no one can excel her in her line of art with the pencil and typewriter. Miss Ogleby uses a Remington.

THE great receipts of the Illinois Central for the two months ending August 31 were \$3,098,592, an increase of \$658,009 over the corresponding period of last year. The excess of receipts over all expenditures was for the two months, \$824,974. September earnings were \$2,126,093, an increase of \$363,395 over 1892.

Meat Dishes.
To close out the patens we make these extreme low prices: Ten E. D. Bartholomew's. aug28-d&wt

VAUGHAN-STAFFORD.

A Pretty Home Wedding on West Macon Street.

This morning at 9:30 o'clock about 60 relatives and friends assembled at the commodious home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Stafford, No. 362 West Macon street, to witness the happy marriage of Mr. Walter Clinton Vaughan, of Cambridge, Mass., and Miss Moetta Isabel Stafford. The ceremony which was deeply impressive, was spoken in the west parlor by Dr. H. B. Ouel, of Grace Methodist church, who used the Episcopal rite service. The couple were unattended and while the mandolin orchestra played the Mendelssohn and Lohengrin wedding marches they passed through the hall to the parlor. During the service the orchestra played "O Promise Me." The congratulations were of the most cordial nature. After Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan were presented to the company, the couple and guests partook of a delicious English wedding breakfast which was served under the supervision of Mrs. E. F. Goyton. The bride and groom in their white robes sat at a long table in the dining room and guests were all seated at small tables in the parlor and library. The chief color in the house decorations was Colonial yellow, with a generous arrangement of tropical plants, ferns and roses. The bride was attired in a red and black traveling suit with hat to match. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts from Decatur and other friends, presents which will be cherished by her as mementoes of Oct. 11, '93, and prized as tokens of good wishes.

Among the guests present from out of the city were Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Lemen, of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kleibacker, and daughter Miss Adele, and Will Page, of Chicago. A number of notes of regret were received.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan will be on the Wabash limited at noon for Chicago and the east. They will make their home at Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Vaughan, who is a polished gentleman, is in the manufacturing business at Boston and is prosperous. His chosen life companion is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, and is highly accomplished, a young woman who has had the advantage of a classical education in Latin and Greek at Lassar College at Andover, Mass., for three years, and at the Harvard College Annex for three years. She has taught in the Decatur High School for three years in the higher branches of learning. All of her many Decatur friends who have met her in the church, in society and in her home, wish her a full measure of happiness.

AS TO INVALID PENSIONS.

Claims Granted and Rejected During the Year Ended Sept. 1 Last.

Speaker Crisp laid before the house Tuesday a communication from Secretary Smith, replying to a house resolution requesting information as to the number of invalid pensions granted during the year ending Sept. 1, 1893, the number of claims rejected, and the number suspended.

The information submitted is compiled by Commissioner Lockman, and shows that the number of invalid pensions granted during the period was 55,244, of which 46,667 were under the act of 1890, and 9,577 under the general law. The number of like claims rejected during this period was 4,449, of which 3,449 were under the act of June, 1890, and 999 being under the general law. The average monthly award during this period was \$12.49, and the average monthly award during the year ending Sept. 1, 1893, was \$12.49, and the average monthly award during the year ending Sept. 1, 1893, was \$12.49.

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